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SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION

Sir:

Enclosed for the Examiner's information is a Notification Concerning Transmittal of Copy of International Preliminary Report on Patentability (Notification) that was received in connection with Applicant's corresponding PCT application. Attached to the Notification are an International Preliminary Report and a Written Opinion.

The documents identified in the Written Opinion were cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed October 24, 2005.

It is submitted that no fee is necessary in connection with this paper. Nonetheless, any fee deemed necessary should be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

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Respectfully submitted,

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